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device that are output in a form of an announcement or an optical display at said external terminal device.

**IN THE ABSTRACT:**

**On page 28:**

5      cancel line 2;  
in line 3, replace "By means of a" with -A-;  
in line 4, replace ", data can" with -enables data to-;  
in line 5, replace "topology" with -topologies-; and  
cancel line 11.

**REMARKS**

10      The present Amendment revises the specification and claims to conform to United States patent practice, before examination of the present PCT application in the United States National Examination Phase. All of the changes are editorial and applicant believes no new matter is added thereby. The  
15      amendment of claims 1-15 and the addition of claims 16-19 is not intended to be a surrender of any of the subject matter of those claims.

Early examination on the merits is respectfully requested.

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